



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2859**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In-re the Application of

James R. HENSHAW et al.

Group Art Unit: 2859

Application No.: 09/721,880

Examiner: Yaritza Guadalupe

Filed: November 27, 2000

Docket No.: 107979

For: MEASUREMENT APPARATUS INCLUDING A TRACK FOR A MEASUREMENT  
SCALE AND APPARATUS FOR TENSIONING THE SCALE

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the June 23, 2003 Office Action, the period for response being extended by  
the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

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